

California Marine Life Protection Act Initiative

North Coast Marine Protected Area Planning Workshop

****This event is free and open to the public***

Members of the public are invited to:

- Learn about the MLPA and the key components that inform the north coast marine protected area (MPA) planning process
- Share information about your community and its connection to marine resources
- Discuss ideas of how you can become involved in the process

When & Where: MLPA Initiative staff will conduct a public, in-person presentation and interactive workshop from 4:30 to 8:30 p.m., on the following dates and locations:

Tuesday, October 27: Fort Bragg, CV Starr Community Center

300 S. Lincoln Street

Wednesday, October 28: Eureka, Red Lion Inn

1929 Fourth Street

Thursday, October 29: Crescent City, County of Del Norte Board Chambers

981 H Street

Agenda at each location:

4:30 – 5:30 p.m. Presentation - Introduction to the MLPA and MLPA Initiative

6:00 – 8:30 p.m. Workshop - Roundtable discussion regarding:

- North coast MPA planning process
- Science and feasibility guidelines
- Components of an MPA proposal
- MarineMap training (http://northcoast.marinemap.org/marinemap/)

RSVP: Refreshments will be served for participants. Please RSVP to Delbra Gibbs (916.424.8897 or dga_mlpa@sbcglobal.net). **For more information call Kelly Sayce at 707.832.4088.**

For more information about the MLPA Initiative visit www.dfg.ca.gov/mlpa